



## **INTERNATIONAL CREDIT MOBILITY**

### **CALL FOR APPLICATIONS**

(2023-1-PT01-KA171-HED-000128181)

### **What is International Credit Mobility?**

For over 25 years, Europe has been funding the Erasmus programme allowing more than three million students to have taken part of their studies at another higher education institution (HEI) in Europe. Erasmus+ has been, continuously, bringing these and many other opportunities, allowing for mobility to expand to other continents (between the so-called "Programme Countries" and "Partner Countries").

Erasmus+ now offers the opportunity for students to study and for staff to teach or train in HEIs beyond Europe. Likewise, students and staff from non-European countries are also offered the same opportunity - to engage in an exchange mobility in European HEIs. This is known as International Credit Mobility - an activity under KA1: Learning Mobility of Individuals.

"O Consórcio Amigo", consists of the Portuguese HEIs which are part of the network Rede de Estudos Ambientais dos Países de Língua Portuguesa (REALP), namely Universidade de Évora, Universidade Nova de Lisboa, Universidade de Aveiro, Instituto Politécnico de Tomar and Universidade de Lisboa.

#### **Student Mobility for Studies (SMS):**

Only students enrolled in a partner institution on the project can apply for ICM student mobility for studies (students must be enrolled in a cycle of studies and have already completed at least the first year of their study cycle).

Minimum mobility period: 2 months (60 days);

Maximum mobility period: 12 months.

#### **Staff Mobility for Teaching (STA):**

Only staff from a partner institution on the project can apply for ICM staff mobility for teaching.

Minimum mobility period: 5 work days + min. lecture 8h per week;

Maximum mobility period: 2 months.

#### **Staff Mobility for Training – (STT):**

Only staff from a partner institution on the project can apply for ICM staff mobility for training.

Minimum mobility period: 5 work days;

Maximum mobility period: 2 months.

## **How to apply**

The application for staff (both teaching and training) must be done by email. The applicant should send it to: [internacional@ciencias.ulisboa.pt](mailto:internacional@ciencias.ulisboa.pt)

Applicants will have to apply with a proper application form, which is available on the following website: <https://ciencias.ulisboa.pt/pt/projeto-2023-1-pt01-ka171-hed-000128181>

All communication with the applicant will be done by email therefore it is very important that a valid email address is presented on the application. All applicants are asked to submit the application before the deadline of the Application Process.

With the application form the following documents must be attached:

### **a) Students**

- a) Curriculum vitae;
- b) Copy of passport or other identification document;
- c) Motivation letter;
- d) Letters of recommendation (at least one);
- e) Diplomas and certificates of qualifications;
- f) Academic records;
- g) Proof of proficiency in Portuguese and / or English and / or in the language in the host country;
- h) Official proof of socio-economic status (if declared to have economic difficulties);
- i) Contact person (Professor or researcher) at Universidade de Lisboa/ receiving institution.

### **b) Staff (teaching and training)**

#### **b1) Incoming mobility - from third countries to Universidade de Lisboa**

- a) *Curriculum Vitae*;
- b) Copy of Passport or other identification document;
- c) Proof of affiliation to the sending University (HEI);
- d) Motivation letter, stating any experience in previous exchange/mobility programmes and explaining how the application is going to benefit the research work and how it can contribute to an improvement of procedures in the applicant's country and institution. Such can be in terms of teaching and learning methods, of research methodologies (joint research) and the procedures of academic management and/or administration, always in terms of international quality assurance and cooperation;
- e) Letter(s) of recommendation;
- f) Diplomas or Qualification Certificates.

## **b2) Outgoing mobility - from Universidade de Lisboa to third countries**

- a) Curriculum Vitae;
- b) Copy of Passport or other identification document;
- c) Motivation letter, stating any experience in previous exchange/mobility programmes and explaining how the application is going to benefit the research work and how it can contribute to an improvement of procedures in the applicant's country and institution. Such can be in terms of teaching and learning methods, of research methodologies (joint research) and the procedures of academic management and/or administration, always in terms of international quality assurance and cooperation;
- d) Superior authorization to carry out the mobility;
- e) Diplomas or Qualification Certificates;
- f) Work plan (including the activities' chronogram).

### **Application deadline**

The application process will be open until midnight (Portuguese time) of the **7th February 2025**. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

Application results are expected to be disseminated until **28th February 2025**.

### **Elegible countries**

Albania, Angola, Algeria, Burkina Faso, Cape Vert, Democratic Republic of Congo, Guinea-Bissau, Mali, Montenegro, Namibia, Nigeria, South Africa, São Tomé and Príncipe, Senegal, Tanzania, Tunisia, United States of America and Portugal.

### **Elegible Institutions**

List of Partner Institutions can be found [here](#)

### **Selection criteria**

**General Selection criteria to students:** Academic merit; motivation; and the socio-economic condition of the candidates (if applicable).

**General Selection criteria to teaching and training staff:** Motivation; Work plan and its adequacy to the host/sending universities strategy, interests and reality.

### **Eligible Scientific Areas**

The Scientific areas eligible for application are: **Environment and Sustainability**

For further information, please contact the coordinator of the project at Universidade de Lisboa, Professor Cristina Branquinho through: [cmbranquinho@ciencias.ulisboa.pt](mailto:cmbranquinho@ciencias.ulisboa.pt)

## **AVAILABLE GRANTS**

**2024/2026**

### **Outgoing mobility - from Universidade de Lisboa to third countries**

<b>Country of Destination</b>	<b>Number of flows OUT</b>	<b>Duration of mobility (including travel days)</b>	<b>Grant per participant</b>	<b>Travel grant</b>
Albania	1 SMS-T	60 days	700,00 € / month	360,00 €
Angola	1 STA-T	7 days	180,00 € / day	820,00 €
Guinea-Bissau	1 STA-T	7 days	180,00 € / dia	530,00 €
Nigeria	1 STA-T	7 days	180,00 € / dia	820,00 €

### **Incoming mobility - from third countries to Universidade de Lisboa**

<b>Country of Origin</b>	<b>Number of flows IN</b>	<b>Duration of mobility (including travel days)</b>	<b>Grant per participant</b>	<b>Travel grant</b>
South Africa	1 STA-T	7 days	160,00 €/ day	1 500,00 €
Algeria	1 SMS-T	60 days	850,00 €/ month	275,00 €
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Burkina Faso	1 STA-T	7 days	160,00 €/ day	530,00 €
Cape Vert	1 STA-T	7 days	160,00 €/ day	360,00 €
Guinea-Bissau	1 SMS-T	60 days	850,00 €/ month	530,00 €
Mali	1 STA-T	7 days	160,00 € / dia	360,00 €
Montenegro	1 SMS-T	60 days	850,00 €/ month	360,00 €
Namibia	1 STA-T	7 days	160,00 €/ day	820,00 €
Democratic Republic of Congo	1 SMS-T	60 days	850,00 €/ month	820,00 €
São Tomé and Príncipe	1 SMS-T	60 days	850,00 €/ month	820,00 €
Senegal	1 STA-T	7 days	160,00 €/ day	530,00 €
Tanzania	1 STA-T	7 days	160,00 €/ day	820,00 €
Tunisia	1 SMS-T	60 days	850,00 €/ month	275,00 €
USA	1 STA-T	7 days	160,00 €/ day	820,00 € - 1 500,00 €

Legend: SMS (Grants for study - students); STA (Grants for Teaching); STT (Grants for Training - staff)